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**"I Love
its big car
charm"**

"I'd set my heart on this Pontiac Big Six... even before I knew how thrilling it was to drive. It just looked so 'Big-Six-ey'. You know, it had that air of distinction that makes you long to call it your own.

"And then I drove it! It's simply the most stunning thing! You can forget all about the engine and those mechanical gadgets because you just know they're alright. And it tops the steepest hills without even a murmur.

"I never knew one could get a Big Six at such an absurdly low price."

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**Pontiac
BIG 6**

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**Essex,
The Challenger,**

Is proving to be a real Car, and is doing all that is claimed for it.

We ask you to drive and compare it with any other car.

Note the quick and smooth response of the motor. The speed and superb get-away.

The handling and riding quality are outstanding.

Don't take our word for it, but drive the car and prove it for yourself.

G. Oppertshauser.

LOCAL NEWS.

C Egbert Mills, fishery inspector, was a visitor at The Sun office on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Jack Barrie are moving out, this week, to Edmonton Beach.

Chas. Chesser, Edmonton, was a Sunday visitor with Mr Sam Zucht.

Miss Mary and Mr Harry Panar of Leduc were Sunday visitors with the Comisarow family.

Mr McLean, of the local bank staff, has been promoted to the branch at Hanna. Mr Lewis, of Hanna, takes his place.

While driving out of town Friday afternoon with her horse and buggy, Mrs Joseph Treit had the misfortune to have a passing automobile frighten the animal, which bolted, throwing the driver from her seat and between the wheels. Mr L Umbach came to the rescue and stopped the horse.

Stony Plain Motors got in another carload of New Fords on Friday.

Inga Councilors meet next in Stony Plain on Friday, May 3

Inga municipal district is calling for applications for the position of assessor.

The Highway gang of surveyors have completed their work on the section of the Baseline between here and Winterburn, and are at present working in the Russian hills between Meridian road and Blueberry church.

The attention of farmers is drawn to the notice in our advertising columns that the elevators here and at the Grove will close Saturdays at noon.

Auctioneer Zucht cried a judicial sale of farm land at the postoffice Saturday afternoon. The land offered was NE 4 52 2x5, 160 acres, with 70 under cultivation, about 9 miles from Stony. The first bid was for \$2350, by Henry Oppertshauser Sr, with no raisers. As the upset price set by the Court was \$2600, no sale was made.

Applications for motor car licenses may be had at The Sun Office.

The local ball season opened on the 28th with a game between the Married Men and Single, the latter winning by the score of 9 runs to 6. Pitchers—for Married Men, Chesser; Singles, Ph'Enders.

The Police have received instructions to prosecute every car driver who has not firmly attached to his motor vehicle license plates, for the current year.

Complaints have been received by the authorities regarding the supplying of tobacco to persons under the age of 16 years. Dealers are warned—that persons under this age may only be served with tobacco in the case in which a written order from their parent or guardian is presented.

GET IT AT

HARDWICK'S

Another Shipment of Ladies' Hats!

Usual Hardwick Prices.

Our Line of Men's Work Boots is Unsurpassed for value. From \$2.95 up,

See Us when wanting a Men's or Boys' Suits.

Boys' from \$6.85 up. Men's from \$15 up.

As usual, Grocery Specials (just a few of them)

Sunkist Oranges, 21c dozen.

Plum Jam, best quality, 45c.

Canned Pineapple, 14c.

Quart Pickles, 44c.

1 box of a dozen, Pure Gold Jelly Powders, 90c.

Fresh Lettuce, Celery, Cabbage, Carrots.

Tested Seeds: Steele Briggs', McKenzie's, and Simmers,

AGENTS DAIRY POOL.

HARDWICK'S.

THE HOUSE OF QUALITY.

**Buy Your Drugs at the
Stony Plain Pharmacy.**

SPRING TONICS. PEPTONA

Tasteless Preparation of Cod Liver Extract.

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Hypophosphites Comp.

Cough and Bronchial Syrups.

Stock Tonics and Royal Purple Laying Meal.

Sure Shot Bot and Worm Remover; given now will have your Horses ready for work when you need them.

Duofold and Waterman Pens and Pencils

Exercise Books for Ink and Pencil.

School Supplies of all kinds.

Parker and Waterman Ink.

AGENTS FOR VICTOR ORTHOPHONIC

MUSIC BOXES AND RECORDS.

J. F. CLARKE, The Rexall Store. Phone 41

**Saturday Specials,
MAY 4th.**

Many new goods at
a Special Price of **50c. each.**

Each Saturday we will feature Specials at reduced prices for Cash only.

We are also Agents for John Deere Farm Machinery and Tractors, Union Oils and Goodyear Tires.

Stony Plain Hardware.

ELEVATORS TO CLOSE.

All the Elevators in Stony Plain and Spruce Grove will Close at 12 o'clock Noon on Saturdays, from May First to September First.

The finest tea you can buy—Red Rose Orange Pekoe. Made from juicy, flavor filled leaves—three days in bud. Every package guaranteed.

RED ROSE
TEA "is good tea"
RED ROSE ORANGE PEKOE is extra good
In the best package—Clean, bright aluminum

Canada At War!

Canada is at war, and with the passing of winter, operations are being renewed and extended on all fronts against the common enemy. Happily, it is not warfare directed against any other people or nation, nor, in the final analysis, is it a destructive, life-taking, money-losing campaign in which the Canadian people are engaged. Rather, it is constructive, life-giving, money-making battle that is being waged.

The war to which reference is made is an unending one. It can never end, and victory can never be wholly complete. On the other hand, unless the battle is fought, and renewed from year to year, defeat for mankind is sure and inescapable. It is a case where eternal vigilance is the price that must be paid for life, liberty and happiness.

It is a war against dirt, disease, insects, bacteria.

In the spring of the year, as snow disappears and the frost leaves the ground, exposing the accumulations of winter, it is imperative that every householder, every community, "clean up." Failure to do so may, and in all probability will, result in an epidemic of sickness, not to speak of the unwholesome effect upon the mentality and habits of people living amidst unsightly, disagreeable surroundings. The necessity of an annual spring "clean up," and the maintenance of clean surroundings, and sanitary conditions throughout the warm summer months, is applicable alike to the farm and farm home, and the urban community and home.

The danger of the common house fly is now too well known to require emphasis. It is the greatest distributor of the filth and disease breeding germs upon which it thrives and breeds its countless millions. Destroy its breeding grounds and the battle is more than half won. When the first fly puts in an appearance, kill it, and you will be saved the trouble of swatting hundreds later on.

Then there is that most unpopular little humming bird, the mosquito, which turns so many of our long and lovely summer evenings and our beautiful summer resorts and sports grounds into places of torture. By taking early action this almost universal pest can be largely controlled. For years the citizens of Winnipeg have had life made miserable for them by mosquitoes, and each season witnesses more energetic and concerted effort to destroy them. Regina, no worse sufferer than other places, is this year, under the direction of the Kiwanis Club, assisted by other service clubs, the health authorities, Boy Scouts, and other organizations, taking part in the battle.

The mosquito breeds by tens of millions in stagnant water. Pools of stagnant water, slowly drying up sloughs, partially filled ditches, cannot be drained, nor can their existence be wholly prevented, but through the simple expedient of scattering coal oil, and other oils, in these stagnant waters, these millions of potential mosquitoes will be destroyed. Regina is surveying the city and its surroundings from the air, thus detecting every spot of stagnant water, and these are to be impregnated with oil. If all our towns and villages locate these pools of stagnant water in and about them and take life action, life will be made more comfortable and enjoyable.

When cleaning old oil out of your motor car, tractor engine, or other machinery, do not throw it away. Save it, and spread it about in any stagnant water in your vicinity, and sink your old oil-soaked rags with a stone in such pools. By so doing you will prevent the breeding of mosquitoes.

This great and holy war is being waged in other directions and in even intensive fashion. Departments of agriculture, and the research departments of our Universities and the National Research Council in laboratories and in the fields, have for some years been engaged in the task of finding a means of eradicating rust from wheat, which takes its toll of tens of millions of dollars from the farmers of the prairies. According to latest authentic reports gratifying progress has been made, and the experts engaged in this work are now fairly confident they are on the right track, and that before long a rust resistant wheat will be developed, fully equal to other wheats in its early ripening ability, in yield per acre, and in its bread making qualities. Such a victory will bring huge rewards for the time and money expended. It is a form of constructive warfare which will reimburse Canada for many of its losses occasioned by destructive human war.

Agricultural and health departments of governments are in the van of this great, never-ending battle. The larger municipalities and many other communities are awakening to their responsibility. Semi-public organizations of many kinds are joining in the fight. As was the case in the Great War, scientists are doing their part, and doing it well. But as the Great War developed into a struggle between peoples, rather than armies and navies, in which every man and woman had a duty to perform, so in this other war in which Canada is engaged, everybody must be enrolled if the largest measure of success and victory is to be achieved. This is a war which recognizes no defined boundary lines; it must be waged everywhere; if the enemy remains unmolested in any one place or district, or even on any individual homestead, victories elsewhere will be of little avail. It is a universal war, demanding the active co-operation and alert vigilance of all.

To Check "FLU," Grippe

Fights the Germs in the Throat Before They Invade Other Parts of the Body.

EFFECTIVE PREVENTIVE MEASURES EXPLAINED

Simple precautions taken now will enable you to fight dreaded "Flu" which is sweeping rapidly through the whole country. The germs of Influenza gain access to the body through the mouth and throat. Keep the throat healthy and you go a long way towards stopping the trouble. An effective means of prevention is to gargle the throat three or four times daily with Nerville. Half a teaspoonful of Nerville in water makes a most efficient gargle. The germ-killing properties of Nerville quickly destroy any bacteria in the mouth or throat. If the chest is sore, if the throat is hoarse, if you have a cough—be sure, to rub the neck and chest with Nerville. Every drop of it will rub in, and out will come the congestion.

Of course it is absolutely necessary to house-clean the system with Dr. Hamilton's Pills which stimulate the eliminating organs, and rid the system of disease-breeding wastes. This combination treatment of Nerville and Dr. Hamilton's Pills will give prompt and entirely satisfactory results.

Ahead Of Schedule

First India-England Air Plane Made Trip In Seven Days

The first India-England aeroplane arrived at Croydon two minutes ahead of schedule. The air liner carried five passengers, 800 pounds of mail and negotiated the 5,000-mile trip from Karachi in seven days.

One of the passengers was Vice-Marshal Sir V. Vivian, who left Croydon on March 30 on the inaugural mail liner to India, arriving at Karachi April 6. He departed on the return flight within 24 hours, having thus covered 10,000 miles in fourteen and a half days.

CORNS

Relief in 2 Minutes

Just a drop or two of Putnam's Corn Extractor, and the pain goes away. Relief is almost instantaneous. Removing corns with "PUTNAM'S" is so easy, so sure, so painless—thousands use this wonderful remedy, and say it is the best. Don't suffer any longer, use Putnam's Corn Extractor, the one sure relief for sore corns. Sold at every drug store.

Alberta Coal For East

It is indicated that Alberta's coal shipments to Ontario during the special rate period will aggregate 200,000 tons.

RADIANT GIRLHOOD

Comes Through Rich, Red Health-Giving Blood

A girl with a full-blooded body and vital nerves has the foundation of an active, healthy life. Allow her to grow and she will develop into a girl of health and general weakness may be the result. Many women who ought to be in the prime of life are too frequently sufferers of headaches, back and side aches, easily tired and breathless, because of anemia which stealthily attacked them in girlhood.

But fortunately there is a remedy within easy reach. Thousands of tired, worn-out women and delicate girls who have sought the self-help of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are grateful for the way in which these pills have restored them to robust fitness. This effective and nerve restorer always helps to make plenty of rich, red blood that speedily puts an end to the ailments of a delicate girl, or tired, weary woman soon becomes brighter when this new blood courses through the system. Color comes to her cheeks and lips; her appetite increases; her nerves are steadied, and she becomes vital and active again. The following is an example, from among thousands, of what these pills have done and can do: Miss C. J. Martin, Kitchener, Ont., says: "For several years I was greatly distressed with pains in the back and sick headaches. I felt tired all the time, did not sleep well and had a poor appetite. I had been doctoring, but did not get much relief. My sister advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and after taking six boxes I felt like a new person, and will not be without the pills again."

You can get the pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Train Of Tractors

A special train of tractors, valued at \$400,000, recently reached Regina. There were 280 machines in all, occupying 70 railway cars. The tractors were distributed to farmer buyers in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Miller's Worm Powders do not need the after-help of castor oil or any purgative to complete their thoroughness, because they are thorough in themselves. One dose of them, and they will be found palatable by all children, will end the worm trouble by making the stomach and bowels untenable to the parasites. And not only this, but the powders will be certain to exert most beneficial influences in the digestive organs.

Scientists in Russia are working on a device to keep the blood of a person in circulation and thus prolong life after the heart and lungs have ceased to function.

Mothers can easily know when their children are troubled with worms, and they lose no time in applying a reliable remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Insanity is said to be decreasing. Maybe it's because so many things that used to be considered crazy aren't any more.

Neuralgia succumbs to Minard's Liment.

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THE SECRET of Skin and Hair Loveliness

IN the regular daily use of Cuticura Soap and the occasional use of Cuticura Ointment, women everywhere have discovered the secret of natural beauty. The Soap, fragrant and pure, to cleanse; the Ointment, antiseptic and healing, to remove pimples and irritations.



Soap 25c. Ointment 50c. and 50c. Talcon Etc. Sample each free. Address: Canadian Depot: J. T. Watt Co., Ltd., Montreal.

Canada Wins the Banana Trade

Has Largest Banana Carriers Afloat Under Any Flag

The largest banana carriers afloat under any flag is the record claimed by the "Lady Somers" and the "Lady Rodney," the two new vessels of the Canadian National Steamship which went into commission recently. These steamers are equipped with the most modern cooling and refrigeration equipment, and are capable of carrying over 100,000 stems of bananas.

The "Lady Somers" sailed for Bermuda, the Bahamas and Jamaica, inaugurating the western service of the Canadian National Steamship between Canadian ports and the islands.

The ships are elaborately decorated, and the passenger accommodation is complete in every detail. Particular care has been paid to all details of the cargo space and the ship is completely insulated. The "Lady Somers" can carry fruits and vegetables requiring different temperatures. For cool climate the ship is equipped with devices to raise the interior temperature when necessary.

A Real Asthma Relief. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has never been advertised by extravagant statements. Its claims are conservative indeed, when judged by the benefits which it performs. Expect real relief and permanent benefits when you buy this remedy and you will not have cause for disappointment. It gives permanent relief in many cases where other so-called remedies have utterly failed.

Exports Tea In Lumps

China exports tea in solid lumps, like bricks, for consumption in Tibet and Siberia. The tea-leaves are pulverized, mixed with water, and molded into hard cakes. The bricks weigh about 5 lb. each. In this form tea can be carried overland more easily, as it occupies less space.

"We are now," announced the guide, "passing through a rural hamlet."

"Oh," exclaimed the sweet young thing, "I thought a hamlet was a little pig!"

Had Many Rulers

Warsaw, the capital of Poland, has in turn been ruled by Sweden, Austria and Russia. In 1807 Napoleon made it the capital of the Duchy of Warsaw and during the World War it was captured by the Germans, who held it until peace restored Polish independence.

Nervous and Run Down The Least Noise Would Bother Her

Mrs. R. Burton, Ottawa, Ont., writes: "Three years ago I was nervous and run down I could hardly bear to have the children make a noise it would bother me so. A friend advised me to take MILBURN'S NERVE PILLS and after taking two boxes I began to feel stronger, looked better and the color came back into my cheeks, and now I am feeling fine again."

Price 50c. a box at all druggists and dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

Religious Groups In House

Roman Catholics form the largest religious group in the Canadian House of Commons, about 30 per cent. of the total membership. Adherents of the United Church come next and Presbyterians follow.

Medicine Chests

Are not complete without Minard's. Used for cuts, bruises and pains of all descriptions.



Make Sure Your Fence Is FROST TIGHT LOCK!

Your fence requirements on the ranch are no small item; you want your fence to last a lifetime. Put your faith in Frost Fence; more than 25 years of square dealing with the farmer are behind it. There is only one Frost Fence, only one Frost Lock, the lock that HOLDS under all Western conditions of strain and extremes of temperature. If there is no Frost dealer in your neighborhood, write to our nearest office.

Frost Fence

Frost Steel and Wire Co. Limited, Hamilton, Ontario
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Survey Work and Mapping Methods As Carried On In Little Known North Country

Alberta is planning extensive exploration in its Peace River region, demonstrated in recent years to be rich in agricultural potentialities. Pioneering survey work of this character, once arduous and slow, has been entirely changed and immensely facilitated by the rapid development of aerial observation made possible by the growing mastery of air navigation and the consequent saving in time and cost. Mapping, in particular, has made vast strides from its first and crude beginnings, the maps now produced by the Dominion Department of the Interior revealing the progress made in securing accurate pictorial reproductions of the unknown sections of the country. An article in a recent issue of the Department's publication, *Natural Resources*, remarks that if one were to take Captain Backs' map of the Great Fish River (now Backs river), as completed by him following his famous overland trip begun in 1885, it will be seen that only such rapids, falls, lakes and islands are shown as could be seen while passing by in a canoe or going across a portage on foot. It did not include much information about the country lying back from the route travelled. Upon such surveys were based the earliest maps of some of the northern portions of Canada.

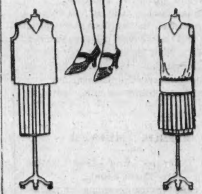
Immediately following Confederation, and for some years thereafter, the survey work of the Department of the Interior in Western Canada was primarily for the purpose of subdividing the land in anticipation of later settlement. These surveys were in accordance with a regular system, the initial lines for which were meridians and base lines. The meridians were, in general, laid down four degrees in longitude apart, and the base lines were twenty-four miles apart.

When these governing lines began to reach into the more wooded and little known areas of the north, an effort was made to gather sufficient information on each side of them to fill in the more important topographical details. The plan where the governing lines intersected the shores of lakes and streams, and other physical features, were noted. In addition, it was the duty of one of the men on the survey party, called the explorer, to travel over a strip twelve miles wide on each side of the governing line, noting the topography of the country through which he passed. The results as obtained from the line notes and the explorer's observations were compiled in the form of a map of a 24-mile wide strip. United, these strips formed the best available map of the areas covered. They could not, under the circumstances, be extremely accurate or full of detail, and a surveyor who mapped, in this way, about 2,000 miles of territory could justly feel that he had done a good season's work.

As an instance of the manner in which mapping methods as applied to this type of country have advanced in the last few years, one of the areas surveyed during the past season by the Topographical Survey of the Department, working in co-operation with the Royal Canadian Air Force, may be mentioned. This area lies, roughly speaking, in the triangle formed by the 60th parallel of latitude, the Slave River, and Lake Athabasca. Most of this area is in northwestern Alberta, some in Saskatchewan, and a small portion in the Northwest Territories. It is

rocky country abounding in lakes of all shapes and sizes up to twenty miles in length, some of them of great beauty. Sandy stretches occur here and there, and forest fires have kept the timber scanty. The lakes make ideal landing places for the types of flying boats used in the type of aerial photographic surveying.

The party engaged in this work left Winnipeg by seaplane on July 25, and on August 4 alighted in the harbor of Chipewyan. On August 9 the plane used for taking the photographs flew to Fitzgerald, from which point the work was carried on for the remainder of the season. Notwithstanding interference from smoke, by September 7 about 4,000 square miles of territory had been covered, thus filling in another space previously left blank on our maps.



MOLDED WAISTLINE

An attractive printed silk crepe that simulates tuck-in type, a youthful idea of Paris. The fluttering box-plaited skirt, attached to hipband secures slender silhouette. The molded bodice has Vionnet neckline with fluttering bow tie. Style No. 212 is lovely for afternoons, made of georgette crepe in chartreuse green with flowered chiffon. Other practical suggestions are wool jersey in pastel shade, featherweight tweed in wood-violet shade, plain silk crepe in tomato red and printed cotton foulard. Pattern for this popular style can be had in sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 4½ yards of 40-inch material with ¼ yard of 36-inch contrasting. Price 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

We suggest that when you send for this pattern, you enclose 10 cents additional for a copy of our exciting Fashion Magazine. It's just filled with delightful styles, including smart ensembles, and cute designs for the kiddies.

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PATRICK BURNS.

Patrick Burns, of Calgary, outstanding figure in western range and ranch life of Western Canada for many years, and founder of the great packing business which bears his name, is here seen on the steps of the Empress Hotel at Victoria, during a recent trip to the coast.

Canada's Copper Industry

New Discovery Will Add To Annual Output Of This Industry

The discovery of important copper deposits in the Banan area of western Quebec; at the Frood and Frood Extension copper-nickel mines and at the Errington zinc-copper mine in the Sudbury district, Ontario; the successful development work in progress at the Flin Flon and Sherritt-Gordon mines in The Pas District, northern Manitoba; the additions to plant equipment at Ansoy, Britannia Beach, and Copper Mountain, and the successful results obtained at the Coast Copper property on Quatsino Sound in British Columbia, are all new factors likely to make a substantial increase to the Canadian production of copper.

Many birds make for life and many keep within sight and hearing of the mate year in and year out. The well-schooled physician, minister, or lawyer can use about 25,000 words.

Joseph Wilton Swan, an Englishman, took out the first patent for making artificial silk, in 1883, by squirting a pulp of wood and cotton through small holes.

YOUNG AMBASSADOR RETURNS TO CANADA



Fired by the results achieved by a Welsh grocer's assistant, who took up farming in Canada, and whom he visited, Frederick Thomas Mace, aged twenty, a member of the Young Ambassador's Party that toured Canada last summer, decided, to do likewise. He has completed a correspondence course in Canadian farming conducted by the Canadian National Railways, and arrived in Halifax recently on the Cunard Line "Andania."

Trying To Obtain Reliable Data To Assist In Forecasting With Accuracy Weather Conditions

Alberta Mineral Production

Amounts To Nearly 12 Per Cent Of The Total For the Dominion

According to a statement of the Provincial Minister of Agriculture, mineral production during the year 1928 in the Province of Alberta, reached a total value of \$32,367,781, a new high record, and 11.84 per cent of the total for the Dominion. Among the larger items contributing to the list are: Coal, \$25,517,688; Oil and gas, \$1,787,807; Clay products and brick \$1,486,860, and cement, lime, stone, sand and gravel \$2,182,130. The report indicates that the natural gas produced in the province contributed 69.9 per cent of the total for the Dominion, in volume, and 41 per cent of the value. Alberta's petroleum wells yielded 79 per cent of the Dominion volume and 84.8 per cent of the Dominion's value.

Distance Of The Sun

A New Method Is Found For Determining The Distance

A new method of determining the distance of the sun suggested at the Dominion Observatory, Ottawa, depends on three accurately known measurements: the velocity of light, the wave-lengths of spectrum lines, and the shape of the Earth's orbit. Daily observations of the spectrum of the sun's centre with a constant comparison spectrum have been made for years and preliminary measurements indicate promising results.

The Columbia Ice-Field

The melting waters from the Columbia ice-field in Jasper National Park, Alberta, feed the sources of three of the largest and most historic rivers in the Canadian West—the Athabasca, the Saskatchewan, and the Columbia, which flow to three separate oceans.

Chromite In Canada

The principal chromite mines in Canada are situated in the Coleraine district, Quebec, and are regarded as capable of producing large quantities of ore.

Pearls are not stones, but diseased growths or warts on the insides of some oysters.

Will the time ever come when it will be possible to forecast climatic conditions weeks or months in advance? We have weather prophets galore. Among farmers, hunters, sailors and peasants, in almost every country, there has grown up a certain stock of traditional knowledge based upon observation of nature, though not a little mixed with signs and auguries of a superstitious complexion. Thus, in Northwest Canada, if the snow falls early in autumn, a slight sprinkle, it will be followed by a spell of warm, dry weather. The Russian peasants say that when snow falls on frozen ground the following spring will be unseasonably cold. Everybody knows how the country folk in England believe that if the autumn bushes are thick with berries a severe winter will ensue. And the past season would go a long way towards confirming the legend. Similarly when the Arctic finches migrate southwards and appear in the British Isles in great numbers, it is taken as a sign the winter will be extraordinarily rigorous. Not to dwell upon the fact that thousands of people consult "Oz's Almanack," and have no small faith in this quaint publication, it may not be generally known that the British Royal Meteorological Society includes a large staff of savants whose special business it is to take notes of plants and animals and year by year record their habits in connection with the weather conditions throughout the seasons. The conclusion reached is that most popular proverbs about weather signs at long range are more fallacious than true.

Amid all the vagueness and uncertainty prevailing upon this subject, the only fact well established is that all weather changes are primarily due to the influence of the sun. It has also been observed that in tropical lands the seasons are more regular and "settled" as regards weather variations than is the case in the temperate zones. Beyond these generalities, there is at present no reliable data, although many scientists are of opinion that the climatic changes experienced occur in cycles, corresponding with fluctuations in the atmosphere of the sun itself. Hence, the theory about sunspots, said to determine the complexion of the seasons, so that when these spots are at a minimum, mild winters and hot summers will prevail, and when at a maximum, hard winters and cool summers may be expected. It takes eleven years for the sunspot to develop to the full. Professor Bruckner, the Swiss meteorologist, thought he discovered a wave-stroke of unusual weather descending to earth every thirty-five years. Others have mentioned recurrent intervals of larger measure, a cycle of forty-five, sixty or a hundred years. Montreal Gazette.

Winnipeg To Have Exhibition

Winnipeg ratepayers have approved the expenditure of \$850,000 by the city for an industrial and agricultural exhibition here, and showed by their votes that they preferred Killarney, a suburb of the city, for the site of the show.

Epidemics are not esteemed as highly as they should be. An enemy never borrows money from you, nor asks you to go his security.



Patient: "I have a pain in my head, my chest burns, I have a stomach-ache and, besides, I don't feel well in myself."—Sodagone-Sirix, Stockholm.



"At the office if I am too hot I can sleep, but on holiday I must keep walking."—Jugend, Munich.



BEAUTIFY CANADA



Clean Up, Paint Up, Keep It Up --- Increases the Value of Your Property



When Pain Comes

What many people call indigestion very often means excess acid in the stomach. The stomach nerves have been over-stimulated, and food sour. The corrective is an alkali, which neutralizes acids instantly. And the best alkali known to medical science is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. It has remained the standard with physicians in the 50 years since its invention. One spoonful of this harmless,

tasteless alkali in water will neutralize instantly many times as much acid, and the symptoms disappear at once. You will never use crude methods when once you learn the efficiency of this. Go get a small bottle to try. Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years in correcting excess acids. Each bottle contains full directions—any drugstore.

Increase in Gold Supply

Was Greater By Sixty-One Million Than Amount Mined in 1928. Gold holdings in the United States at the end of 1928 were reported by the federal reserve board in the April issue of its bulletin to have been 37.6 per cent. of the world's total, which amounted to \$3,981,000,000.

The total gold supply was compiled from reports transmitted to the board from 40 countries and shows that the increase in gold of \$460,000,000 in a year was greater than the amount of gold mined during the year by about \$61,000,000. The increase was made, the report said, even though about \$80,000,000 was absorbed by Great Britain and an unknown amount taken away for industrial consumption.

Draws Attention To Peace River District

Has Room For 2,000,000 People Says Major-General McRae

Major-General A. D. McRae will again draw the attention of parliament to the colonizing possibilities of the Peace River country. His visit to that area last year has more than confirmed his previously expressed opinion that 2,000,000 people can find homes for 400,000 farms of 240 acres each. General McRae will urge greater railway facilities, modern methods of preparation of scrub land and a national colonization and settlement policy extending over ten years.

"Have faith in your fellow man," says a paragraphist. But be sure you get his signature on the dotted line.

Airplane On Submarine

Big Innovation Has Been Added To Italy's Newest Craft

Italy's largest and best equipped submarine, the Franco Tosi, has been launched at the dockyards at Taranto, Italy. The submarine has two 3,000 horsepower diesel engines of special design which can be used separately or together, and which give a surface speed of 19 miles an hour. Two electric motors of 1,000 horsepower each propel the submarine at a speed of ten miles an hour under water.

The submarine's artillery is one anti-aircraft gun and several machine guns. The submarine is to carry a seaplane in a large tube at the first sign of indigestion, gas or constipation give him a few drops of harmless, pleasant-tasting Fletcher's. He is making teething easy on millions of babies—and mothers, too. For over thirty years Dr. Williams' has been the trusted standby of mothers everywhere. It soothes wakeful, cross babies to sleep quickly and easily—and it's purely vegetable so you can give it as often as needed. It does the work of castor oil better and more gently. For your protection, the bottle of genuine Castoria always bears the Fletcher signature.

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One of the greatest puzzles to the careful parent is to know just what medicine to give the little ones. When the child falls ill with griping pains; is seized with cold or fever, refuses food or vomits what he has taken, when he cannot sleep and cannot get the sleep so necessary to the growing child, the parent is in a quandary. What is to be done on such occasions? As often as not there is not a suitable medicine in the home. The puzzle is what to give him to set him right quickly.

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Make Your Priming Coat

By a primary coat is meant the first, or primary, coat of paint or varnish on any surface of wood, metal or plaster. The first object of the priming coat is to stop most of the suction, present to a great extent in wood and plaster, so that the finishing coats will stand out with a uniform degree of gloss, or, in the case of flat-wall paint, with a uniform degree of flatness.

In this connection, please note that no such uniformity can be obtained until the porous nature of the surface, or suction, has been satisfied. In the case of metal surfaces the degree of suction, or porosity, is far less noticeable; therefore, such surfaces will naturally call for a different priming treatment.

The second object to be aimed at in the first class priming coat is a proper degree of penetration of the face, so that the paint will to the greatest possible extent become a part of the surface—not merely so much pigment and oil spread out on top of, and insecurely bound to, the surface.

Bearing these objects in mind, the salesman will readily understand that a thick priming coat cannot possibly be a good priming coat. Why? Take the first object outlined above. If a thick priming coat is applied on wood or plaster the porous nature of the surface will suck away most of the oil from the paint, which, mind you, needs just this quota of oil to bind it and form a good film. The result is, that instead of having stopped the suction, you have merely superimposed another surface, porous in nature because it has been deprived of too much oil and insecurely bound to the surface for the same reason—and that also kicks the props from under our second support—the second object.

So we arrive at the natural and logical conclusion that priming coats on wood and plaster must be thin coats—it is almost impossible to get them too thin. If a priming coat is said to be too thin, such a claim can only be advanced from the covering or hiding viewpoint—a defect which can be easily remedied by an additional coat. But if too thick a priming coat is applied, a dozen coats will not cover up the blunder, and it will be exposed by the almost inevitable result—peeling of the paint from the surface.

When in doubt—thin priming coats.

Soldiers' Settlement

31,360 Veterans Have Been Settled On Farm Lands

Veterans to the number of 31,360 have been settled on farm lands, with and without loans, under the Soldiers' Settlement Act, according to a report tabled in the House of Commons. No fewer than 6,852 of these men established themselves without financial assistance from the Government. More than 6,000,000 acres in all, at an average price of \$10 per acre, have been bought or homesteaded by the Vets.

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ITALY DEMANDS EQUALITY AS TO NAVAL POWER

Geneva.—The problem of navy parity between France and Italy loomed out as a reef which might imperil the success of any five-power naval conference to reduce armaments.

Premier Mussolini is reported here as firm as a rock in demanding parity for Italy with France, both on land and sea, while France apparently fails to see the justice of such demands.

France thinks her communications with her extensive colonial possessions and her mainland open to two oceans are sufficient reasons for her having naval forces superior to Italy's.

This problem of satisfying Italy at least on paper is a worrying delegates to the preparatory disarmament commission. Some are beginning to worry whether a real advance on the naval problem could not best be made by establishing first of all an understanding between the United States and Great Britain.

The Associated Press correspondent has received the impression that France would place no obstacle in the way of such a preliminary understanding if it did not affect her position in relation to other countries' powers. A high French authority voiced recently enthusiastic approval of the speech of Hugh S. Gibson recently, because it gave a magnificent impetus to reduction in armaments as a whole.

This personality explained that France desired to hasten general reduction in armaments and hoped that delegates would even be able to submit a draft treaty to the September assembly of the League of Nations, thus permitting an international conference by 1930. This would involve a second session of the preparatory disarmament commission during the present summer, until which time "he thought" the naval question had better be adjourned.

Agrees With Gibson's Speech

British Government Shares Views on U.S. on Disarmament

London, England.—Sir Austen Chamberlain, British foreign secretary, told the House of Commons that the British government shares fully the hope and wishes of the United States government on disarmament as set forth in Ambassador Gibson's speech at Geneva.

"The government desired me to take this opportunity to express its warm appreciation of the cordial conciliatory spirit shown by the American delegates and give assurances on its behalf that in the same spirit and with the most earnest wish to reach a complete understanding it will consider the American suggestions," declared Sir Austen.

Sir Austen made his statement in answer to a question by Commander Joseph Kenworthy, Labor, whether Ambassador Gibson's speech had been called to his attention and what response his majesty's government proposed.

Airmen Killed At Toronto

Machine Went Out Of Control and Crashed Near Flying Field

Toronto.—Noel Marshall and William MacKenzie, residents of Toronto, were killed when their aeroplane went out of control and crashed near the Leaside flying field.

It was reported that MacKenzie, who had but recently been granted a pilot's certificate, was in charge of the Gypsy Moth plane, with Marshall, a qualified pilot, as a passenger.

The plane was said to have been but 150 feet from the ground when it went out of control and crashed with such force the engine buried itself.

British Election In May
London, England.—Premier Balfour announced in the House of Commons recently the prorogation and dissolution of parliament for May 10, nominations for seats in the House on May 20, and polling on May 30.

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Win Empire Competition

King's Trophy In Rifle Match Goes To South African Cadet

Ottawa, Ont.—Cadets from South Africa won the King's trophy in the rifle match in 1928, which was participated in by 33,000 boys from all parts of the Empire. Canadian cadets won this trophy in 1927, and finished second in 1928. The results have just been made public by the National Rifle Association.

Commenting on Canada's performance the National Rifle Association report says: "Not only does Canada possess many more brilliant individual shots than any other country but she has a limited number of units capable of achieving very special distinction. When mass efficiency becomes the principal object of the many and fewer low scores have to be included in her national team, the premier prize, the King's trophy, will return to the Dominion."

While Canadian boys have lost the King's trophy they have had other remarkable successes in the match. They won 82 silver medals which are awarded for scores of 99 and 100 points, and 152 bronze medals for scores of 97 and 98. The rest of the medals combined was a total of only 124 of these medals.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MAY 5

WHAT HILKIAH FOUND IN THE TEMPLE

Golden Text: "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path."—Psalm 119:105.

Lesson: 2 Chronicles 34:1-33.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 137:1-4.

Explanations and Comments

The Temple Repairs Which Led To The Finding Of The Book Of The Law, verses 8-13.—When twenty-six years of age, Josiah turned his attention to the ruined temple and had it repaired. He placed in charge of the work the high priest, the officials, the officers and the Levites. The king, the high priest, the money which the people brought to the temple and gave to the Levites who were appointed to receive it. The overseers were Levites; other Levites encouraged the workmen with music; yet other Levites were scribes and officers and porters. The work was done faithfully and progressed rapidly.

The Finding Of The Book Of The Law, verses 14-16.—During the work upon the temple, Hilkiah, the priest, found the book of the law of Jehovah given by Moses. This is believed to have been the legal portions (chapters twelve to twenty-six, and chapter twenty-eight) of our Book of Deuteronomy, which calls itself "The Book of the Law" and also "The Book of the Covenant." Some scholars believe that this had been long known, but had been forgotten during the idolatrous reigns of Manasseh and Amon, and Hilkiah found the copy in the temple and read it to Josiah for the first time. Others hold that it was a new and enlarged edition of the Book of the Covenant prepared for the needs of the times, and brought forth now because Josiah was a righteous king and would enforce its decrees." Dr. George Adam Smith points out that it is precisely from this time onward that the style and phraseology which are characteristic of Deuteronomy begin to affect the literature of Israel.

The Effect Upon Josiah Of The Reading Of The Book Of The Law, verses 17-21.—After telling the king that the work upon the temple was progressing well, the money having been given to the overseers and the workmen put at work, Shaphan spoke about the newly discovered book and read it aloud (the entire roll, according to 2 Kings 22:10). On hearing the words the king rent his robes in token of his troubled mind. "For," he said, "great is God's wrath against us, because our fathers have not done as this book commands." If we would see the effect the book must have had upon the susceptible soul of Josiah, we are advised to read chapters 22-26 of Deuteronomy ourselves with Josiah and his times in mind. The book contains explicit directions as to worship and conduct, and the penalty of national disobedience decreed was the loss of home and country. "For many generations warnings and precepts alike have been neglected, and when the day of doom should come, the sins of the fathers also would be visited upon the children. Could the doom be averted by speedy and complete obedience and penitence?"

"It is not enough to read our Bible. Its messages must be heeded. Learn and observe these words found in an old Bible."

When thou readest what here is writ, Let thy best practice second it; So twice each precept read shall be. First in your books and next in thee.

A CHARMING PRINCESS



Princess Ingrid, only daughter of the Crown Prince Gustaf Adolf, of Sweden, whose engagement to the Crown Prince Frederick, of Denmark, has been reported from Stockholm.

Will Perform Election Duties

King George Desires To Carry Out Usual Royal Functions

Bognor, Sussex, England.—The steady progress being made by the King is permitting the drafting of tentative plans for future functions, and there is every prospect these will be carried out. Transfer of the court from Bognor to Windsor Castle before Whit Sunday, May 10, is contemplated in view of His Majesty's expressed desire to carry out the usual royal functions connected with a general election. The King will remain at Windsor Castle until the political situation permits him to go to Sandringham in Norfolk, where the east coast sea air has always agreed with His Majesty.

It is being suggested that a thanksgiving service for the King's recovery should be held in Westminster Abbey at the end of July, with similar services in other large cities.

Calendar Expert At Ottawa

M. B. Cotworth Discussed Matter With Government Members

Ottawa.—To aid in the suggested establishment of a national committee in Canada, to consider proposed calendar reform and its effect on the Dominion, M. B. Cotworth, of Rochester, N.Y., originator of the 13-month calendar idea, has paid a special visit to Ottawa. Mr. Cotworth conferred with Dr. O. D. Skelton, under-secretary of state for external affairs, and H. H. Coats, Dominion statistician, respecting his proposition.

Organize Wheat Pool

Lincoln, Neb.—Wheat-raisers of Nebraska and Wyoming to the number of 200 have effected organization of a wheat pool, giving it the name of the Middle West Market Association non-stock co-operative. The Pool was said to represent 13,000 grain raisers in the two states and was declared to be the largest in the middle west.

MORE NORSEMEN FOR THE WEST



This photograph was taken at Winnipeg after the arrival of the first immigrant special train this season, over the Canadian National Railway, March 20. There were 205 broad-shouldered Scandinavians in a total of 369 arrivals, which included 22 British settlers. Two trains will follow the first special a day later, brought the total of new-comers up to nearly one thousand. At least half were Scandinavians. All the immigrants have been placed by the Canadian National Railway's Colonization Department.

Germany Wants Aerial Bombs Abolished

But Objections Were Raised By Several Countries

Geneva.—The German proposal to abolish the use of aerial bombs in warfare was defeated before the League's preparatory commission on disarmament. Only five countries were in its favor: Germany, Sweden, Holland, China and Russia. Those against it, including Canada, the U.S. and Great Britain, registered their objections with a rider that a negative vote was not to be interpreted as in any way authorizing the use of aerial bombs against civil populations.

Count Von Bernstorff, of Germany, pointed out the toll that could be exacted by bombing planes over Paris, Berlin and London, and said that this method of warfare was horrible and cowardly, because the combatants were protected by defensive appliances.

F. Sokal, of Poland, said no one would deny the horror of such methods but the conference had not reached that point and under the Kellogg anti-war pact was not likely to reach it. When war had been outlawed, it was logical to begin codifying rules of war, he remarked.

M. Litvinoff, of the Soviet, here interpreted that Poland was among those who last year rejected the Russian proposals for complete abolition of armaments.

Answers King's Message

Viscount Willingdon Sends Reply On Behalf Of Dominion

Ottawa.—On behalf of the Canadian people, His Excellency Viscount Willingdon, governor-general of Canada, despatched a message to His Majesty King George, expressing joy over the "glad tidings" contained in the affectionate cable sent by His Majesty to his subjects throughout the Empire.

The message follows: "Your Majesty's word will be received with the greatest joy and gladness by your loyal people of Canada on whose behalf I beg very respectfully to thank you for the glad tidings contained in your beautiful message. During the past months we have been filled with anxiety and sympathy over your majesty's serious illness. We can now rejoice that your majesty is well on the way to recovery and that her majesty has been relieved from the strain of anxiety which has enlisted our deepest sympathy. We trust before long to have the opportunity of joining with all your majesty's subjects throughout the Empire in a prayer of thanksgiving for your safe recovery and in a profound hope your majesty may long be spared to reign over your loyal and devoted subjects."

Receives Fellowship

Saskatoon, Sask.—Dr. William Allen, professor of agricultural sciences at the University of Saskatchewan, has had a fellowship conferred on him which will meet the expenses of attending a conference of agricultural economists to be held during August in Devonshire, England.

ANTI-SMUGGING TREATY MAY GO TO ARBITRATION

Washington.—Terminating the diplomatic correspondence on the "Tim Alone" sinking, Canada replied to the United States rejoinder to the protest against the sinking by coast guards' gun fire on the high sea, of the Canadian schooner suspected of conspiracy against American liquor laws.

Hon. Vincent Massey, the Canadian minister, delivered to Secretary Henry L. Stimson, a note which is expected to reveal the Dominion's attitude to the "Tim Alone" case in particular, and the scope of the anti-smuggling treaty of 1924 in general.

It is generally accepted here that the United States wants the case to go to arbitration. It is expected Canada will accept. Arbitration probably will have the right to any violation of the 1924 treaty itself, which leaves any dispute over the seizure of a ship to a tribunal composed of representatives of both countries.

Because of the whole question of the right of "hot and continuous pursuit," but the treaty will be involved, the importance of the negotiations will transcend the single case of the "Tim Alone."

The British government is sitting back and letting Canada fight the case because the ship is of Canadian register. But the decision will affect some far-reaching questions of territorial waters, and United States rights under the special treaty to claim the 12-mile limit specified in its own tariff act.

The treaty was signed by Great Britain, and technically London would have the right to any who would represent the British Empire on the arbitration board. It is likely that some prominent Canadian will be appointed, however, and he will serve for the Empire.

It is suggested here that the former secretary of state, Frank B. Kellogg, may represent the United States.

Convict Train Travels West

Seventy Prisoners Are Sent To Stony Mountain Penitentiary

Winnipeg.—The convict train, bearing 170 prisoners from Kingston, Ont., to western penitentiaries, reached here recently. Seventy prisoners were immediately transferred to Stony Mountain penitentiary, a few miles north of Winnipeg, while the remaining hundred continued the westward journey to Prince Albert penitentiary.

The convict train consisted of four steel coaches, the windows of which were heavily barred. Guards armed with rifles, were aboard the train, while during the stop forty provincial policemen, also armed with carbines, stood guard.

The journey from the penitentiary at Kingston was uneventful, according to the prison guards.

Succeeds Lord Revelstoke

Paris.—Sir Charles Addis, director of the Bank of England, and noted English financial expert, has been appointed to succeed Lord Revelstoke as head of the British delegation at the conference on reparations. Lord Revelstoke died suddenly on April 19, wearied by the commission's abortive attempts to reach some settlement of the tangled problem of German payments.

Message For American People

San Francisco, Calif.—Sir Rabindranath Tagore, Indian poet and philosopher, called aboard the liner "Taylo Maru" for India, via Hong Kong. His final words to the American public were the expression of a wish that his people "would rise above indignities and insults to impart some beauty to the utter ugliness of the industrialization of the West."

Gibson's Proposals

Geneva.—It was understood here that Ambassador Hugh S. Gibson, American spokesman at the preparatory disarmament conference, would prepare a memorandum outlining United States disarmament proposals and hand this later to delegations

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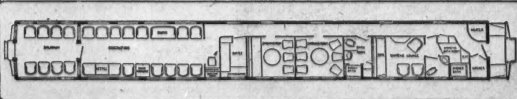
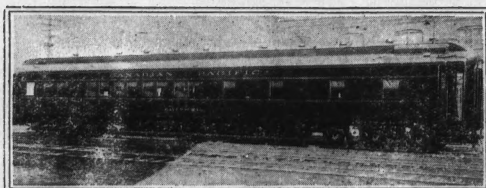
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Here and There

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Gas from wells of the Bow River and South Saskatchewan Valley to the south and west of Medicine Hat may provide helium gas for the British Air Ministry.

The Boy Scouts' knowledge in woodcraft may be turned to a new use in Nova Scotia where the provincial government forestry department propose to enlist their services in the planting of 1,500,000 trees to reforest 1,000 acres of land.

The Canadian Pacific has in excess of 91,000 employees and its yearly pay-roll is approximately \$125,000,000.

The announcement by the Atlantic steamship lines of reduced rates on cabin ships coincides with the opening of an Atlantic travel season in which the cabin type of ship reaches a standard of equipment and accommodation never hitherto reached and during which more cabin ships than ever will sail to and from Europe. The advent of reduced rates also harmonizes with the policy of many world governments to abolish passport visas fees. Ocean tourist travel is quickly getting back to pre-war conditions but greatly enhanced by bigger and better ships," says William Baird, Steamship Passenger Traffic Manager, Canadian Pacific Steamships Limited.

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Beef grading in Canada will be established shortly under a system framed by the Dominion Government. R. S. Hamer, chief of the cattle division of the Department of Agriculture, announced at the annual meeting of the Ontario Cattle Breeder's Association in Toronto the other day. The proposed system will be a voluntary one and will be confined to municipalities with facilities for inspection and grading at the time of the slaughter. The aim in view is the stabilizing of the market and the breeding of better cattle.

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CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued

Donald's heart ached for this man, whose great love for his wife was as passionate at this moment as when she was living. "How he loved her!" he thought.

When Walnwright spoke again his voice was spiritless. "You are the first person to whom I have spoken of my past; even Constance does not know." As he turned to leave Donald gripped his hand in silence, but with a pressure eloquent of heart-felt sympathy.

Andy had noticed Donald's increasing interest in Connie and had wisely refrained from accompanying him on his nightly visits. On this particular night Donald came into the kitchen whistling a lively air, his face wreathed in smiles. He slapped Andy heartily on the back as he asked him for a lunch. His gaiety was so pronounced that Andy studied him closely.

"You look 'appy, Donnie," he remarked.

"I am, Andy. I'm the happiest man in the world."

He finished eating, then sat staring dreamily at the smoke of his cigarette as it circled about his head. Andy discoursed lightly on various subjects, but Donald did not seem to hear him. After he left Andy

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heard him singing merrily in his cabin.

"Strike me pink, but I do 'lope Donnie has waked up! What a pair, what a pair!" he said to himself.

In the morning Donald rode north on the gas-car to the scene of logging operations near the upper lake. He left orders with the men to bring Walnwright's baggage to the station. What Connie's absence would mean was brought forcibly to him as he met the trapper leading Pegasus and her pet deer down the trail to his cabin.

Two hours later Connie and her father stood on the station platform. Connie was dressed in an inexpensive blue suit, and wore a neat blue hat with a jaunty feather. Her golden hair was piled high in loops and coils that held a sheen of brightness like the shine of metal where the sun touched it. She appeared mystified and confused as the time for the train to pull out drew near. Andy, standing by her side, cursed softly as he saw her looking toward the mill, a look of poignant disappointment in her eyes.

"Donald! He'd go up the line, Connie, guess something 'as 'appened," he mumbled.

At that moment Donald was heaping opprobrium on a recalcitrant gas-car that had died on his hands. The conductor called "All aboard!" Connie turned to Andy. "Good-bye, Andy," she said sweetly, her eyes swimming with tears.

Andy took her gloved hand. "Good-bye, Connie," he returned, attempting a brave smile. "When are you coming back?"

"Maybe never," she choked as she stumbled up the car steps.

As the train started to move Connie came to the rear platform. A small, pathetic figure she seemed to Andy as she strained her eyes toward the north in a vain hope that she would see Donald. Andy stood in the centre of the track waving his hat until the flutter of Connie's little handkerchief vanished around a curve.

As the train roared through the cut, the last view of her loved valley flashed before her eyes. Her face strangely white, she clung to the brass rail and gazed with tearful eyes at the only home she had ever known.

As they passed the trapper's cabin, the noise of the rushing train sent Pegasus galloping madly about the pasture. With flying hoofs that tore up the sod he circled around the field, then came to the fence and with his beautiful head held high on the arched neck he looked with startled eyes at the speeding train.

With a gesture intensely eloquent, Connie flung out her arms. "Good-bye, Peggy! Good-bye!" She found her way to a seat and covered her face with her hands.

Donald flung himself from the gas-car before it had ceased moving. "Train gone, Andy?" he shouted.

Andy stood with arms folded. "Gone?" he yelled, "of course it's gone. Why in 'ell wasn't you 'ere?"

"I had to go up the line to look over some logs, and the car broke down," replied Donald bitterly.

"Of course," Andy with withering sarcasm, "the timber couldn't 'ave waited another day."

"Andy," asked Donald excitedly, ignoring the remark, "did Connie leave you her address?"

"Why the 'ell should she give me 'er address? 'Aven't you 'er address?" was Andy's unaccommodating reply.

"No, I haven't, I know that they are going to England, and that is all."

Donald sat down dejectedly.

Andy's face softened. "Do you like Connie?" he queried.

"Like her? I love her!"

"In that case I don't see 'ow she didn't let you know where to find 'er," puzzled Andy.

"She doesn't know that I care for her," said Donald gloomily.

Andy's mouth opened. He seized Donald by the shoulder. "Do you mean to tell me that you let that girl get away from you without letting 'er know that you wanted 'er?" he demanded incredulously.

"Strike me 'andsome," blazed Andy, "of all the blinkin' mutts in this 'ere world—"

"—you—you—" Speech failed him for a moment.

"You let that dear little girl go away broken-hearted."

"Andy," interrupted Donald sagely, "do you think Connie cares for me?"

For a moment, as he looked into



his friend's face, Andy was tempted to tell him of the scene after his fight with Hand. But the promise to Connie sealed his lips.

"Ow the 'ell should I know?" he mumbled. "But," he added with fine sarcasm, "if bone was ten cents a cubic foot you'd be a multi-millionaire, you blinkin' pie-eyed sincompoop—you—you—" He clapped a tragic hand to his brow. "You give me a 'cadache," and muttering to himself, he trudged up the hill.

The next day Donald went to Vancouver. He scanned the registers in hotels, inquired at docks and depots, but no trace of the Walnwrights could be found. He walked the streets with a forlorn hope that he might meet them. The hefts of many slender golden-haired girls were set fluttering that day as a tall, handsome young man subjected them to a close scrutiny.

Two days later he returned to the lake. That night he switched off the light and sat by the open window looking out on a night of stars, with a new moon making a ghostly light on the lake. An owl's mournful hoot was answered by the uncanny cry of a heron. The faint sighing sound of streams in distant gorges became a haunting chorus to this duet. He thought of Connie's cabin up the mountain, now cold and dark. How he would miss her! What an idiot he had been not to have known long ago that he loved her. He knew now that he had loved her from the first. Dear little Connie!

Donald walked the floor until midnight. Once in bed, he tossed restlessly until the early morning, then fell into fitful sleep in which he dreamed of a small, winsome face and big blue eyes surrounded by a wealth of golden hair.

September with its days of mellow sunshine passed. October brought

heavy hoar frosts that covered the earth with a robe of diamonds, and formed ice in the small pools and marshes. Winter comes early in the mountains. In mid-winter the valleys between the peaks of the Coast Range will have five feet of snow when, a few hundred feet below, where the warm waters of the Pacific lap the gentle slopes, the grass is green and there is none of the chilly whiteness that mantles the towering hills above.

There came a day, in November when the air held a solemn stillness. The firs and pines pointed straight to the sky without a quiver in their branches. The brown earth seemed to say, "I am ready." The cry of the loon in it had a dreary sound, a note which seemed to say that winter was coming. Squirrels working in the tops of big pines increased their efforts. The cones, nipped off by their sharp teeth fell patterning to the ground, to be garnered by these busy little workers and secreted in their nests in hollow trees. The bear of the hillsides ate the frozen berry or the pulp of rotten log to cleanse its stomach before starting its long winter sleep in windfall or cave. Thus does Nature give to the wild things of the forest an instinct unknown to man.

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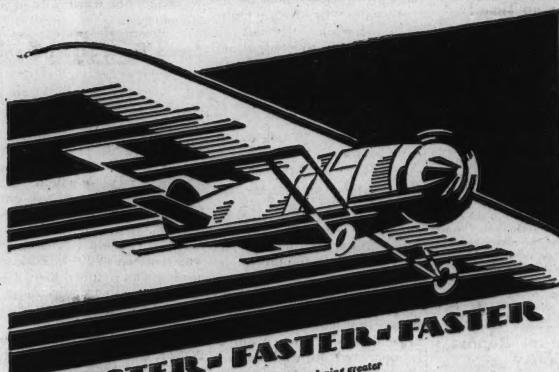
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IT PAYS TO PAY CASH.

Mr Jac Mayer returned yesterday from a business trip to Mayrthorpe.

Mr Holt was a City visitor on Monday.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs R A Walton.

On Monday morning, while the three-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs Hupschmidt of Graminia was in the barnyard she had the misfortune to be kicked by a colt. The little sufferer was brought to Stony, where her injuries were attended to by Dr Oatway.

Hogs are now 'way up in price. If you want brood sows, Meredith Bros. has them.

Wm Kelly, general merchant, underwent a major operation Sunday, in a City hospital.

At the whist drive given by the triple "C" last week the winners were: Men, 1st Art Mundt, 2d Edw Dannhauser. Ladies, 1st Mary Enders; 2d Esther Dannhauser.

The farmer's best friend is The Family Herald and Weekly Star, Montreal. It costs only a dollar a year.

United Church Notes.

On Friday last week the Ladies' Aid joined with the W. I. in giving a farewell social in honor of Mrs McLean.

On Sunday, at all points, the attendance and interest was good. The subject under discussion was the life and works of pre Reformation Reformers, namely Francis of Assisi, Savonarola, Wycliffe, John Huss.

There is to be a special solo at Stony Plain on Sunday evening.

Clean-up Time!

The Board of Health wishes to call the attention of the ratepayers to the general clean up of premises as is done each spring.

This year all toilets and outside water closets will be attended to by a scavenger engaged by the Board and paid by council out of town funds.

All other refuse, ashes, tin cans, garbage, etc., must be removed by each household at his own expense. Notices are being sent out to householders in regard to this, and it is to be kept in mind that the Provincial regulations provide that in the case of those who have no time, or who neglect to make the necessary clean up, the same shall be done by the Board and charged to the individual. If all property owners will co-operate with the Health Board, we can make Stony Plain one of the neatest towns in Alberta.

—THE MAYOR.

The Market Report.

WHEAT.

No. 1 Northern	1.00
No. 2 Northern	0.97
No. 3 Northern	0.89
No. 4 Northern	0.66

BARLEY.

2 C. W.	0.42
3 C. W.	0.37
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No. 1 Feed	0.30
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Holborn Happenings.

Mr and Mrs Roy Meisner were the host and hostess on Friday night to a very large number of their friends. The affair took place at Holborn Hall, and the occasion was the wedding dance of the Newlyweds. Holborn hall has rarely seen a bigger or merrier crowd than gathered there, to do honor to the young couple. Barnes' orchestra played up-to-date selections, and a fine lunch was served at midnight. Dancing was kept up 'till the wee sma' hours. At the close all present gave three rousing cheers and a tiger for their entertainers.

Carvel Clippings

Boss Frank Askin brought home on Saturday his new Pontiac sedan.

Mr Lonsman the elevator man, has been taken to an Edmonton hospital for treatment.

Mr Karl Gudmundson has rented the Stebbings farm for the present season.

Mr Nick Turlock had as a week-end visitor his brother Mike, from Opal.

A big concert is planned to be held in the Ukrainian Hall on Monday next, by the Ukrainian Society.

On Friday last a prairie fire which came in the farm of Mr B B Miller, on the SE 36 52 2w5, destroyed his barn. Neighbors saved the other buildings from the fire. Investigation is being made as to the origin of the fire.

A telephone construction gang is hauling new poles from the railroad for replacements on the line up to Onoway.

Found guilty of obtaining \$15 from his father by false pretenses, John Polychuk was given three months imprisonment by Judge Crawford last week. He had previously been convicted on theft charges. The father farms in Carvel district.

Golden Spike

The death occurred at Empress, Alta., on Wednesday, April 24th, of Miss Jennie Stroh, daughter of Mr and Mrs Thomas Stroh of Golden Spike. Deceased was a registered nurse, graduating last year from an Edmonton hospital, and had been in attendance on a patient at Empress about a month ago, when she had an attack of appendicitis. She was promptly operated on, and was on the way to recovery when she suffered a relapse. Heart failure is given as the cause of death. Deceased was in her 21st year. The funeral took place on Saturday April 27. Services were conducted by Pastor Wack, of Zion Lutheran Church, Golden Spike. Interment was made in Golden Spike cemetery.

Church Services

R. C. services will be held in the Town Hall on Sunday next at 9 a.m.

A Lutheran service in English will be held in Stony Plain next Sunday at 7:30 p.m., by Rev. Osterman.

Service at United church Sunday evening at 7:30; Rev G A Sauder.

Spruce Grove News

There is an unconfirmed rumor that the Wheat Pool will take over the U. G. G. elevator here.

The Gillespie elevator at Acheson has been taken over by the Wheat Aol.

Larson Brothers, the Holborn decorators, have just finished a fine piece of work on the interior of the local United church.

Boxing at the Grove.

Art Prudhomme gave an "fancy educational exhibition" at Spruce Grove Friday night last. Art comes from Grouard, and is the "middleweight and heavyweight boxing champion of northern Alberta"—so his posters state. Art was here a few months ago and drew a good-sized crowd. The attendance Friday night was not so large, but, at that, the show was worth the price of admission. Callihoo's musicians were present. After Art's skipping rope stunt, he boxed a few rounds with Fred Goebel. This was followed by a few rounds each with the two young Mr Bristows. Art's lecture on Physical Culture was good, but listened like a chapter from a Bennett Macdowell book. A dance followed.

Concert at the Grove.

The concert singers who gave such a fine program in Stony Plain recently, repeated their performance at the United Church here last week, before a good sized audience. All the artists who had made the affair at the other town such a brilliant success were present. Their ranks were added to by Mr R B Brooks, who gave several of his Habitant characterisations in his inimitable style. Charming refreshments were served at the close.

Spruce Grove School Board.

The Grove school board sat on Saturday, April 20, as a court of revision, to hear appeals of the ratepayers, protesting against their assessments. Chairman Jac Brox, Trustees Hy Schellenberger and Wernick were present, with Secretary D Brox. Three appeals were on the list—Mr Albert Kuhl's assessment was reduced \$200; Mr Barnhardt's was reduced \$50; and Mathias Goebel's was reduced by \$50. The Court then closed.

TOWN OF STONY PLAIN.

Assessment Roll, 1929.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Assessment Roll of the Town of Stony Plain for the year 1929 has been prepared and is now open for inspection at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer from ten a.m. till four p.m. on every day which is not a public holiday and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said Roll or to the assessment of any property or to the assessed value placed upon any property must within thirty days after the date of this notice lodge a complaint in writing with the Secretary-Treasurer of the Town.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1929.
JAS. MALLOCH,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Calendar.

- MAY—
- 2—Town Council meets.
- 3—Ings Councilors meet.
- 5—Ball game on local diamond.
- 6—Concert at Manly Hall.
- 10—Agricultural Society meets at 8.30 p.m.
- 12—Mothers' Day.
- 17—"Billy Disappeared at Windle's Hall."
- 20—Clean Up Day.
- 21—Holborn Picnic.

Lutheran Pastors Meet in Conference.

The pastors of the North Alberta District of the Missouri Synod are meeting in conference in Stony Plain during this week.

The Conference was opened by the Rev E Eberhardt, pastor of the local St Matthew Church.

On Tuesday afternoon Mr W Rossman, teacher at St Matthew School No. 1, read a paper (before the Conference) on "The Church and the Children." He emphasized the need of Christian training.

On Tuesday evening a well attended illustrated lecture on "The Christian Day School" was given by the former teacher of the St Matthew School, Rev H J Boelcher of Edmonton.

On Wednesday morning Rev O Thies, Director of Missions, delivered a paper on "Finance and Church." A public service was held on Wednesday evening at the St Matthew Church.

About ministers are in attendance at the Conference.

Walther League News.

Don't forget the Annual Play—May 17.

Mr E Schmidt has agreed to take charge of the W-L baseball team in the capacity as manager. With a year's experience with the work, great things should be expected of the new manager.

The local girls engaged Garden Valley in a basketball game last Sunday, but came home with the short end of the score. A return game will be played.

Holborn baseball team is scheduled to play a game against the W-L on Sunday, May 5, on the Stony Plain diamond.

Mr G Oppertshausen has again offered his tennis court for the use of W-L members. This will give all Leaguers a chance to play, as two courts are now available.

Here and There

The contract for a new fast steamship to ply between Saint John and Udney Nova Scotia will shortly be awarded by the Canadian Pacific Railway. It has been announced by E W Beatty chairman and president of the company. The ship will be of the highest standard, 310 feet in length, capable of carrying 500 passengers and having 41 staterooms for high service. There will also be accommodation for 50 motor cars. The speed of the vessel will be 1 knots an unusually high speed for a short trip.

The 5th ran freely this spring, but it will have to go some to surpass the record for last year when there was an increase of four million pounds of maple sugar production by government statisticians. The output was valued at over two million dollars and Quebec headed the list of provinces as producer, followed by Ontario.

The daily pay-roll of the Canadian Pacific is \$257,600; the daily outlay for material and supplies is \$226,000, and the daily tax bill over \$22,000.

Prince George, Duke of Gloucester, third son of His Majesty, will early in June officially open the great Royal York Hotel of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Toronto. It has been announced by E W Beatty, K.C., chairman and president of the company. The building is the tallest in the British Empire, towering 23 stories above the pavement of the "Queen City."

In a recent Calgary high-school oratorical contest in English candidates in the finals were born respectively in Canada, England, Lithuania, Roumania, and Russia. Of three Edmonton candidates one was of French, one of German, and one of Scotch ancestry.

Few current-hauling travellers have bagged so fine a prize as Viscount Whittington, Governor General of Canada, who was presented with one of the blazened Totem Poles on the Pacific coast during his recent cruise in the Princess Norah, latest addition to the fleet of the British Columbia Coastal Steamship services of the Canadian Pacific Railway. His Excellency was given an insight into the activities and potentialities of Vancouver Island and was much impressed by the beauty of the coastal scenery.

A party of immigrants who within a short time are expected to multiply in large numbers and become thoroughly Canadianized, arrived in Montreal recently via the Canadian Pacific Express. They were rabbits—brown rabbits—sent from Germany to points in Ontario for breeding purposes. They appeared to be none the worse for their long journey and instantly nibbled at lettuce offered them by admiring expressmen.

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